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TAFT ELECTED.

The Great Commoner Goes to His Third Defeat.

MISSOURI AND BATES COUNTY SAFELY DEMOCRATIC.

Stone Wiped the Earth up With Folk

Unofficial reports up to the time we go to press indicate that Taft has been elected President. He has carried New York, Ohio, West Va., Indiana and Illinois. It looks like Bryan has carried his home state.

Democrats will not divide the postoffices for the next four years.

In Missouri the faithful will gather around the political pie counters and after offering up thanks that so much has been saved from the wreck, will proceed to make the usual distribution.

Indications that in the Senatorial primary race Senator Stone beat Folk by a pronounced majority. Stone will have a substantial majority outside the cities, and they go largely for him. Bates county gives the Senator something over two hundred majority, and the Stone followers are especially proud of carrying Mr. Pleasant township for him.

Bates county, glorious old Bates, has done herself proud and elected the full Democratic ticket. An especial fight was made on sheriff and for a time the result was in doubt, but complete returns give W. J. Bullock a majority of something over one hundred. The county court remains Democratic, Judges Hyde and Paddock both being elected.

Bates County Vote.

The following is the Bates county vote with all precincts in except Hudson:

President:	Bryan.....	3,124
	Taft.....	2,569
Senator:	Folk.....	1,313
	Stone.....	1,500
Governor:	Cowherd.....	3,070
	Hadley.....	2,706
Congress:	DeArmond.....	3,305
	Atkeson.....	2,473
Representative:	Griffith.....	3,205
	Wix.....	2,691
Judge S. Dist.:	Hyde.....	1,538
	McLaughlin.....	1,360
Judge N. Dist.:	Paddock.....	1,577
	Wilcox.....	1,330
Pros. Atty.:	Dawson.....	3,257
	Templeton.....	2,616
Sheriff:	Bullock.....	3,146
	Beard.....	3,027
Treasurer:	Coleman.....	3,294
	Park.....	2,545

The above is unofficial and mostly taken over the wire. The vote on Congress and sheriff includes Hudson township. The vote on the balance of the state ticket was not taken down but running along with the vote on president. Next week we will give the complete and correct vote in tabulated form.

We Are "Skeered"

As we go press the late returns coming in might indicate a Hadley victory, with the bare possibility that the Republicans have captured the legislature.

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From the Post.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Clark Taylor, a fine baby boy, at the home of Mrs. Taylor's father, James Rush.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Allman returned home Saturday from a visit in Oregon county, Missouri, where they had been visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Denney, and family.

Mr. Hackett and wife, of Excelsior Springs, Missouri, are here visiting his brother, Pierce Hackett.

Albert Morwood returned this week from Arlington, Colorado. He stopped in Denver a few days on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Roberts are visiting relatives here. They will locate in Hume where Mr. Roberts will run a barber shop.

Miss Sage, of Leavenworth, a sister of Gordon Sage, is staying at the Nelson Cole home helping take care of Mrs. Cole, who has been very sick, but is now improving.

Foster Notes.

Mr. Dick Oren made a flying trip to Butler Saturday and returned Sunday.

Mr. Roy Cox and wife, of Kansas City, are visiting his father F. M. Cox and family.

Mrs. Hall Webb has returned from an extended trip through Oklahoma, and is well pleased with the new country.

J. H. McColough and family visited their son-in-law W. T. Stover Sunday.

Mr. Jim Steel of Fulton, Kansas, was at Foster Saturday.

Miss Lavenia Darby, of Oklahoma, is visiting her brother J. W. Darby.

The fire Bogy got busy again last

Monday night and lighted up the Cottage Hotel about 2 o'clock.

Has Jennings has moved in the house vacated by Mr. Wingerd.

Miss Pearl Badgett spent a week in Rich Hill and returned home Saturday.

There were a number of parties Halloween night. DINAH

White-McBride.

Pursuant to the custom of most of our young people, Hiram White and Miss Iris McBride drove over to Butler, where they were united in the wholly bonds of matrimony. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Russell Armentrout, Miss Nellie Dye and Leslie Finley.—Amsterdam Enterprise.

Virginia.

Mr. Kellogg had a large sale last Thursday. He was living on what was known as the Cap Nickels farm. He will leave soon for Kansas to live. Virginia will lose a good family.

Andrew Simpson is building a new hog house with concrete floor to feed on.

Mrs. Judge Harper is still gaining slowly.

We suppose there are many wives and their families are glad that the election is over, that their husbands will return again to live with them and help to do the work again. Some of them have voted with the American German Alliance for Hadley for Governor.

Miss Verna Miller, who has been visiting the family of R. C. Darr, returned to her home in Kansas City Sabbath afternoon.

Will Barnhart will soon have a sawmill at work in his timber two miles north and one mile east of Virginia.

Will Archer has returned home from a visit to kinfolks in Iowa last week.

Fred Garner went to Kansas City last Saturday and brought his mother home, who had been there several weeks. She had to have an operation performed, but advised it would not be safe. She went to the Christian Science for treatment and is feeling much better.

W. W. Park spent most of last week among the good of the land, looking after the treasurers office.

Mrs. Draper left for Kansas City Thursday of this week to visit his sister for a few days.

Corn husking is all the go at present.

Many people are on the bottom trying to kill ducks. We saw Dr. Smith come in Monday with a number in his buggy. All day Sabbath it sounded like a large army engaged in battle.

Mr. Hardinger spent last Tuesday night in Parktown. He had come over to hear the Rev. Allen, of Butler, speak on Prohibition, but after making his speech at the court house in Butler Saturday night, he was not able to come. Rev. Mayfield came in his place.

Endeavor at the Virginia Christian Church next Sunday evening at 6:30. Topic: Commending our Society by Missionary and Evangelistic Zeal.—Matt. 22:1-10. Leader, Miss Thula Darr. Everyone is invited to attend. There had been no Endeavor for the last two weeks on account of rainy weather.

Mrs. Isaac Park, of Moundville, Mo., will be in Parktown Wednesday.

Mingo and North East Bates.

Duck hunting is the attraction now. They seem to be plentiful.

Several from this vicinity went to Creighton to hear Cowherd last week.

S. E. Smith is advertising a parents' meeting to be held in his school Friday evening, Nov. 6, 1908. These meetings are for the purpose of bringing the patrons in closer touch with school work, and should be attended by every patron.

Messrs. Compton, Grooms and Gooch marketed hogs in Creighton last Thursday.

G. W. Hart is hauling logs to Henry Vanaton's sawmill.

George Miller says wedding ceremonies are not in his line of business. Please call elsewhere. Golden Rule up-to-date: "Do unto the other fellow as he would like to do unto you."

Petitions are being circulated asking our State Senator and Representative to vote for and use their influence in securing state wide supervision of public schools. This means much to the educational interests of the state. Efficient county supervision means better teachers, more thorough work, more pupils finishing the common school course and a general raising in the standard of education. The greater part of the children of the state depend on the common schools for their education. If the common schools are not what they should be, it is very unfortunate for these children. State wide supervision will do much toward equalizing the chance of the pupils in the common schools with those in the grades.

S. M. Berry and wife are preparing to go to Oklahoma on a visit.

On account of the bad weather T. R. Staley did not raise his barn last Monday.

The Democratic meeting at Hacker school house was well attended, but the speakers who were billed, did not come on account of the bad weather and roads. The Socialist leader of this vicinity, Prof. J. W. Harrison, was present, and as there was no one to "make him set down," he entertained the crowd with a discourse on Socialism.

AUNT JEMIMA.

W. W. Ferguson Elected.

Rich Hill Review.

At the annual meeting of Group Nine of the Missouri state bankers association in Clinton on Tuesday W. W. Ferguson, president of the F. & M. bank at Rich Hill, was elected president and A. L. Duff, of the Citizens' bank of Windsor, secretary.

Southwest Summit.

Arthur Ash has gone to northern Idaho to spend the winter.

Indian Summer has again made its appearance since the rain and snow of last week.

The little two year old child of Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Ison died quite suddenly last Saturday morning and was buried on Sunday. We have learned no particulars but extend our sympathy to the sorrowing family.

Miss Bard is preparing for an entertainment next Friday eve, Nov. 13th.

The political flurry is over and more than one is glad.

Strange to say Grandma Brannock still lives, though gradually failing.

Halloween was well behaved this year. Instead of doing mischief the jack-o-lanterns were displayed in windows and showed great skill of the artist. Later in the evening came waltzes from the Orchestra which was soothing to all lovers of music. Our hearts were touched when the popular air "I'm Afraid to go Home in the Dark" was played at the close, but we were so near dreamland our company would have been very poor.

C. Wheaton is furnishing his barn with a new roof.

Corn husking is in full blast. G. R. Parker and son, of Magnolia, Kans., spent several days with C. D. Bailey and family. They were old neighbors in days past.

The most interesting topic after election is over will be where shall we go to eat turkey.

Lee Browning has sold his farm for \$62 50 per acre.

John Hines and Etta Sevier sailed into life's ocean last Friday eve. We wish them a pleasant journey and smooth sailing.

A Cass County Rock Road.

Pleasant Hill, Mo., Nov.—Two miles of the four mile rock road from Pleasant Hill to the Jackson county line have been completed and the contractors have begun work on the last section of two miles, the greater part of which is within the limits of Pleasant Hill.

The road will cost about \$20,000. \$12,000 of this sum was raised by popular subscription, while the state will supply the balance of the money. The road will reach the Jackson county line at a point four miles south of Cockrell, and Jackson county, in accordance with a pledge extended by the county court several years ago, will be asked to build to a connection with the Pleasant Hill road.

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